

1624 Etain Road
Irving, TX 75060-5518

Attorney General John Ashcroft
US Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530-0001

January 26, 2002

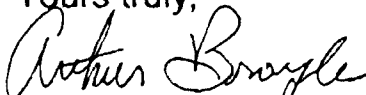
Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

It's good to see that the Justice Department has ended its very long and costly antitrust lawsuit against Microsoft. By freeing the innovative giant to fully focus on business, the Government will be aiding the creation of many jobs.

The agreement calls for Microsoft to agree to terms that extend well beyond the products and procedures that were actually at issue in the suit - for the sake of wrapping up the suit. One provision calls for Microsoft to disclose and document, for use by its rivals, various interfaces that are internal to Windows' operating system products - a first in an antitrust lawsuit.

Good work deserves its rewards. Microsoft has produced amazing software products for the world. It is time now for the government to allow the provisions of the agreement to fall in to place. No more action should be taken at the federal level against Microsoft.

Yours truly,


ARTHUR BROYLES